

Listening

1 [Track 18] Listen to four people talking about job interviews. Match statements A-E with speakers 1-4. There is one extra statement.

The speaker

- A** was surprised that he/she was taken on.
- B** was able to improve the terms offered.
- C** had had the wrong kind of work experience.
- D** felt it was a very rigorous selection process.
- E** turned down the offer of a job.

- 1** _____
- 2** _____
- 3** _____
- 4** _____

2 [Track 19] Listen to an interview about learning. Choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1** According to the professor, in order to learn well you need to
- A** have access to information online.
 - B** read or listen to information more than once.
 - C** have good handwriting.

2 The reason why writing with a pen helps us to learn is that

- A** the pen touches your hand in certain places.
- B** you have to think about what you are writing more carefully.
- C** you are more likely to re-read handwritten notes.

3 According to the professor, one thing that can stop you concentrating is

- A** moving around too much.
- B** eating too many snacks.
- C** feeling hungry.

4 The professor believes that music

- A** helps some people more than others.
- B** can help us to remember things.
- C** is as distracting as other kinds of noise.

5 Which of these, according to the professor, helps to motivate learners?

- A** Making interesting mind maps
- B** Having reachable goals
- C** Finishing the working day with a walk

6 The programme's main aim is to

- A** encourage more people to study.
- B** compare different kinds of learners.
- C** suggest ways to improve people's learning skills.